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## What the Housewife Wants to Know

It is a fact that the meat which we sell are far superior to those commonly sold from market; the reason of this is that quality is our first consideration when making our selections. Another reason is that we do not leave it to the discretion of those from whom we buy to deliver what they see fit—we personally inspect every piece of meat which enters our doors, consequently we can guarantee every piece which we sell. The meat question is an important one in every home and we believe that we can convince you that it is to your advantage to patronize our market, if you will give us a fair trial.

## MILK'S MARKET

F. H. Milks

Phone No. 2



**DAYLO**  
EVEREADY  
paid \$12,000.00  
for this name

Four people receive \$3000 each

The prize-winning word in our contest for a better name than "flashlight," is DAYLO.

In our announcement of this contest last Fall, we stated that "if two or more contestants submit the word selected, the full amount of the prize will be paid to each."

We have made our selection without regard to the number of duplications. The word DAYLO was submitted by the four following contestants, to each of whom we are paying \$3,000.00.

Mrs. F. C. Grow, 1219 Second Street, N. E., Watertown, S. D.  
Katherine W. Hand, 1501 Mulvane Street, Topeka, Kansas.  
Miss J. M. Schulz, 239 Second Street, Union Hill, N. J.  
Bertha A. Wilson, 413 Park Avenue, Medina, N. Y.

The decision of the judges was unanimous. They were agreed that the word DAYLO fulfills in a masterly way the requirements specified.

DAYLO is indeed easy to remember and pronounce. In fact, it cannot be mispronounced, and its elements do suggest the nature and use of Eveready. "DAY" suggests perfect light, and "LO" means "Behold!"—"See!"

We wish we might personally thank each of the half million contestants of Eveready friends and users who have contributed so earnestly and helpfully to the success of our search for a new name.

Sincerely,

AMERICAN EVER READY WORKS,  
Long Island City, N. Y.

There is an Eveready DAYLO for every purpose—for the home, for the auto, for the individual, for the nightwatch, and in fact hundreds of other uses, too numerous to mention. We have a full supply on hand. Order one today.

## Olaf Sorenson & Sons

Confectionery, Cigars, Sporting Goods.

Our Advertising Columns Are the Merchant's Show Windows

## PATRIOTIC PARADE AND MEETING

Band, Auto Parade and School Children, Speaking at School House in Evening.

There will be a big patriotic street parade Friday afternoon composed of the Grayling band and decorated autos of school children, at 3:00 o'clock.

In the evening there will be a patriotic meeting at the High school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock.

Everybody is invited to participate in these two affairs. Those owning autos are requested to line up on Ogemaw street near the school house not later than 2:00 o'clock. School will be dismissed at that time and the children, as many carrying flags as possible, will fill the autos.

The route, as laid out by the committee in charge, will proceed from the school house on Spruce street to Michigan avenue, west on Michigan avenue to Norway street, north on Norway to Ottawa street, east on Ottawa street to Cedar street, south on Cedar street to Michigan avenue and thence to the court house.

A thousand flags have been ordered to be passed out to the school children but it is not certain that these will reach us in time, therefore it is requested that as many as can do so bring flags from home for the parade.

In the evening there will be a meeting at the High school auditorium where a patriotic program will be rendered. It is expected to have a special speaker for the occasion. Besides this there will be songs by the school children and others.

Together with this, at the school house there will be an exhibition of bird houses made by the children of the school and prizes will be awarded for the best ones. The judges are E. E. Hanson, Reuben S. Babbitt and Mrs. Charles T. Jerome.

After the judges have announced their decisions the bird houses will be offered for sale. There have been many fine houses made and the exhibit is bound to be of great interest. This is a good time to show our appreciation of the work of our boys and girls.

There will be music by the band in the evening as well as in the afternoon. It is hoped that everyone will be in attendance at the evening meeting.

## NOTICE TO AUTO OWNERS.

It is requested that every auto owner in Grayling and surrounding country lend their services for the patriotic parade. Please line up on Ogemaw street near the school house promptly at 3:00 p. m. Friday, May 4. A good display of flags on your cars is also desirable.

School will dismiss promptly at 3:00 p. m. and the children will be taken in the autos for the parade. It is hoped that there will be room for every school child. It will require a great many autos but if everybody will make an effort to be there, there will be plenty of room.

Parade at 3:00 p. m., Friday, May 4. Patriotic meeting at school auditorium at 7:30.

## WAITING THE CALL

1,000 Young Men Want Jobs on the Farm.

The Grand Rapids News has organized 1,000 boys to work on the farms and offer them to whoever may require them. This is done by the boys for the purpose of aiding their country in meeting the threatened food shortage.

The News says if you need a boy on your farm let us send him to you. We must have food and you must provide it. It is preferred to send out the boys in pairs so that they may see something of one another during the summer months, as some of them have never been away from home.

They are healthy, husky youngsters, ranging in age from 15 to 20 years, have strong minds and are ready and willing to learn and do what is expected of them, and ask only to be paid what they are worth and be regarded with the same consideration that their employer would give their own.

For information, application blank, etc., apply at the local bank or address the Grand Rapids News, Grand Rapids, Mich.

## YOUNG AND OLD ENJOY ANNUAL JUNIOR DANCING PARTY.

The Junior party at the school gymnasium, last week Friday night was largely attended and was, as usual with the "J" hops, a beautiful and pleasant party.

It was a young peoples' party yet many of the older class were present, much to the pleasure of both. At these parties many young couples come out for their first appearance at such functions and it was a revelation to note the many fine young people who are soon to become the social element of our city. And where is there a better place in which to make their debut, than the high school "J" hop? It is an event in the lives of our young people and lucky is the young man and young lady who have waited until such a time before they have become initiated into the doings of society, and are able to enjoy the thrills, the newness and experience the embarrassment that is natural to polite modesty.

A school pupils' affair and made more so by the presence of one of the Agricultural college orchestras. This was of four pieces—saxophone, piano, traps and violin, the latter alternating at times with banjo. The orchestra was under direction of Will Lauder, saxophonist, a Grayling student at the M. A. C. Nothing but words of praise were heard for the music furnished.

The decorations were principally of flags and pipe trees, and festoons of green crepe rope arched from the center of the ceiling to the balconies. The effect was very pretty.

An appetizing luncheon of sandwiches, pickles, coffee, cake and brick ice cream was served. One long table in the basement hall was used for serving, and the refreshments were presided over by the parents of members of the Junior class.

It was a pretty party indeed, and a credit to the members of the class and those in charge of arrangements.

The members of the class of 1918 are:

President—Roy Case; Vice president, Gladys Everett; Secretary, Fern Armstrong; Treasurer, Mary Cassidy; Financier, Emerson Bates; Lucille Hanson, Hulda Silvrals, Vita Fischer, Vera Matson, Esther Peterson, Benton Jorgenson, Gordon Chamberlain, Carleton Mellstrup and Lee Phelps.

Among the out-of-town guests present were Miss Gilmore and Miss Ireta Netorg, and the Messrs. William Rivers, Benjamin Fraski, Percy Lamont of Bay City; Misses Hazel Blumenthal, Sue Doherty and Florence Smith, and Messrs. George Smith and Martin Blumenthal, all of West Branch; Miss Beulah Dingeman, Cheboygan; Mrs. J. M. Withee, Detroit; and Clare Langdon, Ypsilanti.

## STATE OFFERS FREE LAND FOR GROWING FOOD STUFFS.

The following letter from Mayor T. Hanson is self explanatory and offers a splendid opportunity to anyone having time to plant vegetables.

Parcel A, Roffee's addition, which is spoken of below, is located near Elmwood cemetery.

April 30, 1917.

Mr. O. P. Schuman, Editor, Grayling, Michigan,

Dear Sir:

Will you please announce to the citizens that thru the courtesy of the Public Domain Commission, we are authorized to use for the growing of food stuffs any lots in our Village owned by the State of Michigan.

These lots have all been withdrawn from the market and will not be placed on the market before the first day of December 1917.

This will give ample time for the harvesting of the crops. The lots owned by the State in our city are Parcel A, Roffee's addition, and I will be pleased to give any reliable citizen the use of these lots for agricultural purposes if they will get in touch with me at once.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter, I am

Yours very truly,

T. W. Hanson

Village President.

## How Old Will You Be At Fifty.

Will you be 50 years old or 50 years young? Kidney troubles make many a person old, when really they should be young. Don't be one of the old. Take a kidney tablet as you would a cathartic. Dr. Navaun's kidney tablets are best, 50c at your druggist, A. M. Lewis.

## WILL MAKE BIG IMPROVEMENTS

MILITARY RESERVATION TO BE BUSY PLACE.

W. G. Rogers, quartermaster general of Michigan, was in the city Monday and Tuesday looking after affairs at the Military reservation.

Regarding the number of troops to be in camp here this summer he stated that it was still in doubt just what would be done. The federal department have not given out definite information as to whether the Michigan National guard would be brought up to war strength, about 7,500 men, or whether there would be about that number of volunteers, or both, thus making a camp of about 15,000 men. This the state officers do not know and must await the determination of the war department for full particulars.

Certain matters about the reservation are being arranged for and work will commence just as soon as possible for their completion. The streets used by the several companies are to be lengthened to allow the building of a kitchen and dining room at the end of each, opposite from the lake, size 20x80 feet. There will be 46 of these. The water pipes will have to be extended on each street to accommodate these changes.

Last Monday engineers of the Michigan Central railroad were at the grounds planning on the construction of additional trackage, yards, docks, etc., that will need to be built. The present tracks will be extended and also there will be a line of track added. There will be a yard built for the storage of passenger coaches and trackage for the same. New docks and a water tank will be constructed.

Plans and specifications for the \$20,000 officers' club house are on hand and work on the same will begin soon. Just as quickly as possible construction of the \$10,000 administration building and \$25,000 hospital will begin. The hospital will be built of white brick, and be fully equipped for service. This will be located to the right of the entrance gate to the grounds; a most beautiful location.

Additional power is being installed for the electric light and water works pumping stations. Material has already been ordered for the construction of roads, which will be made of stone and gravel.

## Rubber Workers Buy "Old Glory" Bonds.

Goodrich employees at Akron voluntarily subscribe for hundreds of bonds before issue is authorized.

According to an official of The B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company, while Congress was debating upon the "Old Glory" Bond measure last week a subscription list was being passed around the general offices of The B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company in Akron, Ohio. Each signature signified that the writer would buy at least one bond.

This list kept increasing with name after name of the office employees as well as the department managers until the total reached more than a hundred signers within two hours.

The news soon spread throughout the large factories and inquiries from every department began pouring in over the telephone. More pages were added to the already long list and it was circulated throughout the entire plant. Many of the employees asked no questions beyond that of knowing that they were standing by the President and helping their country in a great emergency.

Tonight there is not a single department in the entire group of large factories operated by the Goodrich Company that is not represented on the subscription list.

Telegraphic reports of this patriotic spirit to other cities throughout the United States tonight are expected to bring forth a result that will by far exceed those of any previous appeals ever made to the American people.

The name "Old Glory" for these Bonds has an appeal—that cannot be resisted—especially by the workers.

## Get Rid of Your Rheumatism.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You will find Chamberlain's Liniment a great help. The relief which it affords is alone worth many times its cost.

## Showing of Fine

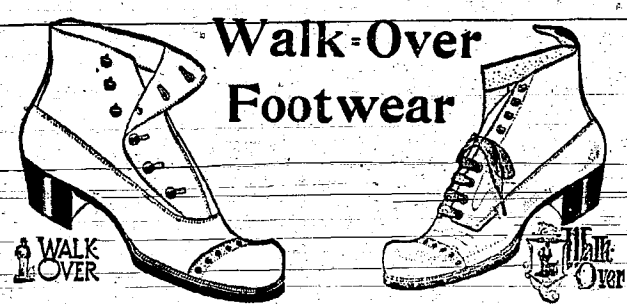
## Spring Footwear



I have for your approval the finest line of Shoes ever shown in Grayling, and they are priced very low, the same shoes, I am positive in saying, would cost me more to buy on to-day's market than I am offering them to you.

## The Famous

## Walk-Over Footwear



Everybody is familiar with this reliable line of footwear. They are noted for the nice, smooth way they fit the feet, their beautiful style, the high quality of material used in their construction and their durable wearing qualities.

Come in now and have your feet fitted with a pair of our fine footwear.

## EMIL KRAUS

Grayling's Leading Dry Goods and Clothing Store



## The Drudgery of Home Baking

The quality of our bakery products is such that you can avoid the drudgery of home baking. We can supply you with the best and cheaper than you can make them yourself. We do not scrimp on materials. We use the best flour, lard, butter, eggs, milk and fruits and we use them liberally. The work is all done by expert bakers. The results of their work is seen in this fine assortment of genuinely home-like bakery goods as can be found in this city.

You can use our bakery goods every day and avoid all home baking if you wish.

## Model Bakery and Grocery

THE HOME OF PURITY AND QUALITY

FOR QUICK RESULTS USE OUR WANT COLUMN—The Cost Is Small.

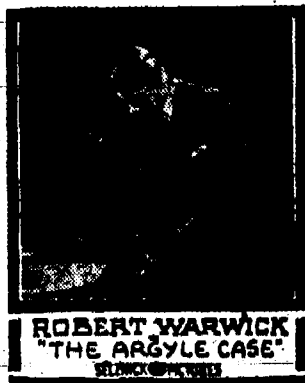
## Grayling Opera House Friday Evening, May 4th

ROBERT WARWICK in

## "THE ARGYLE CASE"

By Harvey J. O'Higgins, Harriet Ford and Wm. J. Burns  
Directed by Ralph W. Ince

Admission 15 and 25 Cents





# The KITCHEN CABINET

To remain in nature always sweet and simple and humble and therefore strong; to love and to hold due reverence for all people and all things, but to stand in awe or fear of nothing save our own wrongdoing—Credo of the Open Road.

## SAVORY DISHES FROM ITALY.

Our simple manner of cooking macaroni, one of the commonest of Italian dishes, is not a simple dish when prepared by them.

**Macaroni à la Bolognese.**—Wipe a pound of lean beef, add a fourth of a pound of raw ham cut in dice, and a large onion sliced, wash and remove the stems from a pound of tomatoes cut in small pieces; place all together in a large saucepan with two tablespoonsful of olive oil, a sprig of parsley and a bay leaf; simmer gently for two hours, then add one pint of boiling water and continue to cook until the sauce becomes reduced and thickened into a mass in which the different ingredients are well blended. Cook the macaroni until tender, drain and place a layer in a serving dish, sprinkle generously with Parmesan cheese and cover with the meat sauce. Repeat until the dish is filled. Cover closely and let stand in the oven for five minutes until well blended.

**Chicken Livers With Mushrooms.**—Cook the livers (six of them) with the same number of coarsely chopped mushrooms in a cupful of stock for a half hour; cool and drain. Prepare a batter with two tablespoonsful of flour, a little milk, and salt and pepper to taste, and one beaten egg. Add the livers and mushrooms and drop by spoonfuls in a little hot fat in a frying pan. Cook until a golden brown on each side and drain thoroughly before serving.

**Chestnut Creams.**—Boil, shell and skin a pound of large chestnuts. Pass them through a sieve, add the juice of two oranges, sugar to taste, and add a half pint of heavy cream, whipped. Serve in sherbet cups garnished with whole chestnuts and a cherry or a small cube of jelly of bright color.

Cooked chestnuts and orange rind cooked in a sirup, using only the yellow of the rind, then served with bits of fresh orange and mayonnaise on water cress or head lettuce makes a most delightful salad, which we can appreciate on this side of the water.

It's no in books, it's no in leat  
To make men truly blest;  
If happiness has not her seat  
And center in the breast,  
We may be wise or rich or great,  
But never can be blest.

## CHICKEN FOR TWO.

In a family of two, poultry is not as often used as desired because it is too much meat to be cooked at once. In some markets a half chicken may be purchased but even when this is not possible a fowl may be spread over several days without becoming monotonous. For one meal the drumsticks may be cooked, these from a six to eight-pound fowl will furnish sufficient meat to satisfy any appetite. After stewing them in a little boiling water to keep in all the juices and flavors, brown them in a little butter and serve with drawn butter sauce and baked potatoes. The wings and neck may be stewed and prepared in the form of a small chicken pie with the giblets made into a rich sauce to serve with it. Now the breast may be cooked, served in a white sauce as cream chicken or thinly sliced and used for sandwich filling or combined with celery and apple with boiled dressing making a most delicious salad. The second joints may be cooked and browned as were the drumsticks or they may be cooked to make a fine broth, removing the bones and add vegetables and cook in a casserole, adding rice or macaroni.

**Chicken Jelly.**—Take one chicken breast, a pint of stock in which the chicken was cooked, and a package of gelatin. Dissolve the gelatin in onion juice, celery salt or various seasonings, add the breast and mix all together. Pour in a mold and when hardened serve as a salad with dressing. After all the chicken has been consumed but the bones, they too, may be stewed after cracking them. Cover them with cold water, add a slice of onion and cook until all the flavor has been extracted. Strain, add a little cooked rice or barley, one or two beaten eggs, and some hot milk or thin cream with plenty of seasonings and you have a most delicious cream of chicken soup.

The thrifty housewife in these days, scalds the feet and skins them when they are cooked in the broth after all are well trimmed. They contain quite a little gelatin and add to the flavor of the soup.

For an invalid's meal a bit of broiled chicken breast served on toast is a most desirable meal. It may be broiled in a bit of buttered letter paper, wrapped firmly, and pinned together, thus saving all the fine flavor. The

small fillets are more tender than the larger ones and two may be served if one does not seem sufficient.

## SEASONABLE SALADS.

**Mix cream cheese with finely chopped peanuts and a little cream, mold in small balls and dust until red, with paprika, place three on lettuce leaves and garnish with slices of radish or have them cut in the form of tulips. Serve with any salad dressing desired.**

**Cauliflower Salad.**—Trim the stalk and outside leaves of a fresh cauliflower and soak in salted water for 30 minutes. Then wash carefully and cook in salted water until tender. Remove from the fire and when cold carefully remove the center and fill the space with cooked peas drained and seasoned. Pour French dressing over all, garnish with lettuce leaves and serve cold.

**Lemon Jelly and Cabbage Salad.**—Take a package of lemon jelly, add two cupsful of chopped or shredded cabbage, a little shredded onion, two green peppers and one red one, mix well and mold. Serve with mayonnaise on lettuce.

**Apple Salad.**—Arrange sliced pineapple on lettuce leaves and in the center put a few shrimps, around this put a circle of chopped apple and celery and garnish with mayonnaise made pink with paprika.

**Tomato and Cucumber Salad.**—While these vegetables are still expensive, two or three tomatoes with one cucumber will serve several people if carefully cut. A firm, ripe tomato, if small, may be cut in halves, thus serving two, or, if large, cut in slices for three or four. Arrange these pieces of tomato on head lettuce and heap on each slice a spoonful of finely diced cucumber mixed with finely minced southern onion, then serve with either French or mayonnaise dressing.

A few dates and raisins added to Waldorf salad makes a change and is liked. Take twice as much apples as celery and a few nuts with a handful of dates and raisins, mix well and serve with French dressing on lettuce or in nests of water cress which is especially good at this season.

**Poinsettia Salad.**—Small, bright, red tomatoes may be cut in sections like a flower, either six or eight petals, and the center filled with a yellow dressing, served on lettuce or water cress. It makes a most attractive salad.

There is not a creature from England's King  
To the peasant that delves the soil,  
That knows half the pleasures the seasons bring,  
If he have not his share of toil.

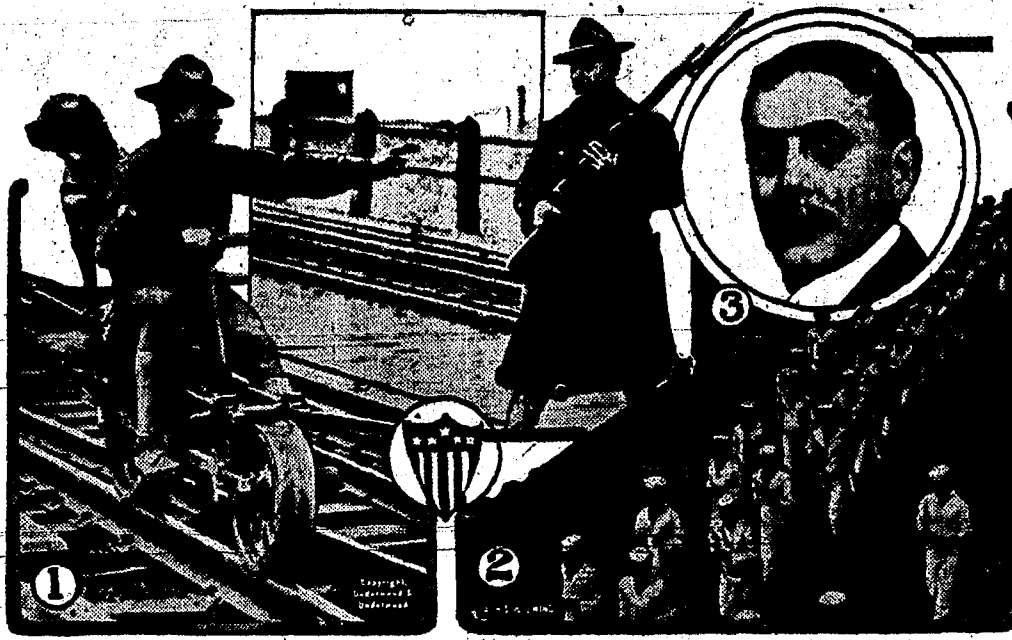
## WHEN FRIENDS DROP IN TO TEA.

The housewife who keeps a few things on her emergency shelf for the unexpected, is never hurried and anxious to get things ready. If she is a woman who lives in a small town, next door to a grocery, it is not so vital that she keep supplied, and yet even she may be surprised when the store is closed and there is no place to get a hurried supply. There are any number of things that the forehanded woman does on days that are rainy and things are at a standstill in various ways. She may prepare pastry all ready for the adding of the water, put it in a glass jar and keep it in a cool place, when a pie can be quickly prepared. Keep on this emergency shelf a jar of bread crumbs, some finely flavored cheese, grated, several cans of soup, a box of sardines, and salted codfish, as well as cans of salmon and tuna fish, a bottle of olives, a box of salted crackers, a few fruit cookies and ginger snaps, a can of cream, jars of bacon and dried beef and other dainties which may appeal to the taste. These will all keep, except perhaps the crumbs and cheese. A can of boiled salad dressing is always a help in time of need; homemade pickles, catsup, preserves and jellies are always in order, with a few nuts ready to use, the dishes one may prepare will be many and the care is all over when the shelf is well supplied. It should be a rule never to use one of these things without replacing it at the earliest opportunity. Another fine arrangement for the hostess who is apt to be disturbed at a sudden onslaught of company, is to have a carefully prepared menu (or three or four) with all the necessary recipes for preparing the dishes carefully written out on the sheet and hung where a glance will tell how to go about the preparation. Your menu may be partly prepared when the guests arrive, but with a glance at your menu lists you will be able to supplement or add something to your menu which will make it more suitable.

people firmly believe that electricity inflicts pain. It is said, and the strongly advocate the adoption of some mild or way of putting animals to death.

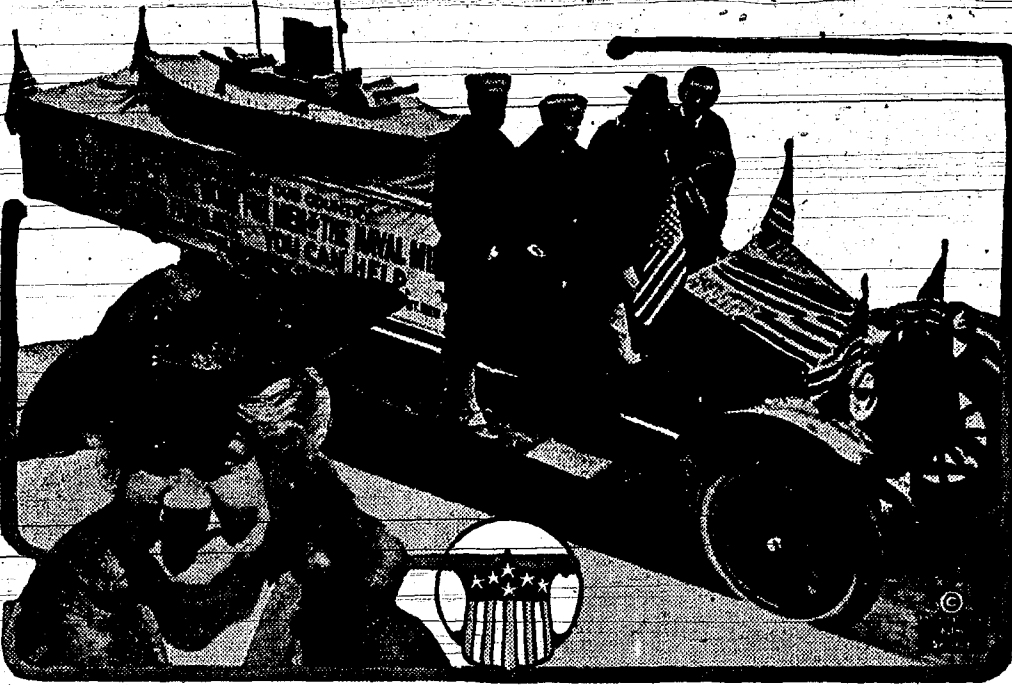
## Only One Old Jewish Fast.

One fast only was appointed by the old Jewish law, that on the day of Atonement. No other periodical fast is mentioned in the Old Testament except in Zechariah 7:3-7, and 8:19. The number of annual fasts in the present Jewish calendar have been multiplied to 25.



1—Sergeant on inspection round of soldiers guarding ailed General Goethals as governor of the Canal Zone daily exercise. 2—Col. Chester A. Harding, who has succorally. 3—Sailors on an American battleship taking their

## MILITIA OF MERCY HELPS NAVY RECRUITING



A miniature battleship mounted on an automobile is attracting much attention in the streets of New York. It is being used in promoting naval recruiting by the Militia of Mercy, an organization of women whose aim is to aid the families of men called out for duty in the navy. Below is a portrait of Mrs. John Hays Hammond, president of the Militia of Mercy.

## GERMANS ON THE ROAD TO PARIS



"On to Paris" was the German slogan in 1914. Here is the "On to Paris" of 1917—a long line of German prisoners taken in recent battles in northern France.

## THREE YEOWOMEN FOR THE NAVY



Here are three feminine additions to Uncle Sam's navy, the first yeowomen to enlist at the Newport navy yard. Left to right, they are: Miss E. S. Harry, Miss H. N. Murray and Miss J. E. Smith. All three have been assigned to clerical duty in the navy yard.

## NATURAL EXERCISE IS URGED

Head of Boston Health School Gives Advice as to Proper Way to Walk.

Boston.—"Don't keep your hands in your pockets. Keep swinging them as you walk." This advice is given by Dr. Charles E. Page of the Boston Health school, who has been studying people walking on Boston streets and finds that only one in five knows what to do with his hands when he walks.

"Don't simply walk on your hind legs when you walk, but keep all four in some sort of motion, just as nature intended that you should do," he advises.

"If the average persons would use hands more while in the motion of walking, he would get more essential exercise."

"Never mind how it looks. You need to keep all your members, both hands and feet, in motion if you are to get any real benefit from walking," says the doctor.

## AMERICA—ON GUARD



Wanted to Marry for 50 Years. Scranton, Pa.—"This is the woman I've wanted to marry for 50 years," proudly declared Evan R. Jones, seventy-two, recently when he called on the marriage license clerk with Mary Ann Deacon, seventy. Both are residents of this city. They were married by Rev. W. R. Edwards of the Tabernacle Congregational church.

The electric railways of the United States are valued at the enormous sum of \$730,000,000.

## BOY SCOUTS

(Conducted by National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.)

### SCOUTS AS LIFE SAVERS.

By ARMSTRONG PERRY.

The most common element in accidents is preventability. The careless, the thoughtless, the day-dream on the railroad track, the mind which wanders from the hand upon the lever, the fool who rocks the boat—these are they who keep the surgeon and the undertaker and the dealer in artificial limbs working overtime.

Boy Scouts are taught to foresee and prevent accidents. When a boy is taught anything he is ever on the alert to use his knowledge. The result of the scout training is shown in a remarkable way in the records of the national court of honor.

There are about 170,000 scouts in the United States, most of whom go on a hike at least once a week throughout the year and camp out for a week or more every summer. It would be natural to expect that with this number of boys, all of the most reckless, age, climbing trees and hills, cutting wood and building fires, the number of serious and fatal accidents would be large. Not so. The national court of honor, which awards medals to scouts who risk their lives in saving others is called upon to consider only three or four cases a month and in most of these the person rescued is not a scout.

In most of these cases the rescue is due not only to the presence of mind and heroism of the scout, but also to his foresight in providing himself with equipment for use in an emergency and his diligence in learning the methods by which rescue may be effected.

A scout who was thoughtful enough to carry a coil of rope at his belt when he went skating saved a boy who broke through the ice. One of the youngest scouts saved a child from bleeding to death from an artery severed by a piece of broken china on a beach. His scoutmaster had taught him how to apply a tourniquet, using a handkerchief and a stick. During the reunion of the veterans of the war of the states at Gettysburg, at the review in Washington in 1915, and on many other occasions where enormous crowds have assembled, the scouts have saved many from the effects of heat exhaustion, by being on the spot with restoratives and a knowledge of the means of quickly finding medical aid. Many a scout has gone to the assistance of a drowning person, released himself from a death grip, fought his way to safety with a load heavier than his own weight and, at the point of exhaustion, has been obliged to apply artificial respiration while a crowd of able-bodied men and women looked on, unable to do anything because of their ignorance of a few simple but vital rules.

A community which fails to protect itself against calamity by developing the latent power in its boy population deserves the same fate as the man who goes without fire and accident and health insurance.

### SCOUT CHARACTERISTICS.

They do at least one good turn every day.

They consider a strange boy a friend, not someone to tense or fight. Their motto is "Be Prepared," which means to them prepared to help others.

They know how! In case of accident they render first aid while others stand about and feel sympathetic. They love the out-of-doors and know how to take care of themselves in the open.

They know about animals and do not consider every snake a poisonous enemy, nor do they think that every crawling thing with more than eight legs is a centipede.

They know the names and characteristics of the different trees and consider them as something beside a target for axes or material for whittling.

### AMONG THE SCOUTS.

A scout is a patriot and is always ready to serve his country at a minute's notice. He loves Old Glory and knows the proper forms of offering it respect. He never permits its folds to touch the ground. He knows how his country is governed and who are the men in high authority. He desires a strong body, an alert mind and an unconquerable spirit, so that he may serve his country in any need. He patterns his life after those of great Americans who have had a high sense of duty and who have served the nation well.

A scout, like an old frontiersman, does not shout his wisdom from the rooftops. He possesses the quiet power that comes from knowledge. He speaks softly and answers questions modestly. He knows a braggart, but he does not challenge him, allowing the braggart to expose his ignorance by his own loose-wagging tongue.

Evansville (Ind.) Boy Scouts have just established a new wireless station and claim that they will soon be able to talk with New York. New York scouts who have stations are eagerly awaiting a message from the Indiana boys.

A scout never flinches in the face of danger, for he knows that at such a time every faculty must be alert to preserve his safety and that of others. He knows what to do in case of fire, or panic, or shipwreck; he trains his mind to direct and his body to act. In all emergencies he sets an example of resourcefulness, coolness and courage, and considers the safety of others before that of himself.

### Too Much to Expect.

Be hospitable—but don't expect the nervous man with the false teeth to date on current pla.

## NOTICE TO SICK WOMEN

Positive Proof That Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Relieves Suffering.

Bridgeton, N.J.—"I cannot speak too highly of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for inflammation and other weaknesses. I was very irregular and would have terrible pains so that I could hardly take a step. Sometimes I would be so miserable that I could not sleep a room. I doctored part of the time but felt no change. I later took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt a change for the better. I took it until I was in good healthy condition. I recommend the Pinkham remedy to all women as I have used them with such good results."—Mrs. M. R. T. CUMMINGS, 322 Harmony St., Penn's Grove, N. J.

Such testimony should be accepted by all women as convincing evidence of the excellence of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a remedy for the distressing ills of women such as displacements, inflammation, abortion, backache, painful periods, nervousness and kindred ailments.

Pa's Fun. "What is your father's favorite amusement?" "Joshing me, I guess."

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Is Cuticura for Purifying and Beautifying the Skin—Trial Free.

For cleansing, purifying and beautifying the complexion, hands and hair, Cuticura Soap with touches of Cuticura Ointment now and then afford the most effective preparations at the minimum of cost. No massaging, steaming, creaming, or waste of time.

Free sample each by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. L, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

Mean. "My face is my fortune." "Heavens! What has kept you out of bankruptcy?"

## GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Has a Record of 50 Years of Success

Correcting impurities in the stomach, gently acting on the bowels. Stirs up the liver and makes the despondent dyspeptic enjoy life. It is highly recommended for biliousness, indigestion, etc. Always keep a bottle of August Flower handy for the first symptom of these disorders. You may feel fine today, but how about tomorrow? Remember that "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," and that it is both painful and expensive to be sick. For sale by druggists in all parts of the civilized world in 25 and 75 cent bottles.—Adv.

Germany's Way. "Germany wants peace, but it must be her own peace, per Germanica, a German peace, that gives her Belgium, northern France, Roumania, and considerable more."

Admiral Duxey, who was answering a pacifist argument in a debate in Sacramento, shook his head and went on: "Germany is quite willing to behave herself, provided she can run the whole world—have it all her own way."

"Germany is like the lady whose husband came home with a new safety razor and, anxiously: "On account of the high war prices, my dear, I am going to shave myself hereafter. Won't you, too, do something to economize?"

"Why, of course, I will," she replied, delightedly, "I'll cut your hair!"

### New War Appliance.

A newcomer into the family of war apparatus is the motorcycle-carrying airplane. A special platform built between the plane, just outside the body of the airplane, carries the motorcycle. The addition of this machine greatly enhances the effectiveness of the airplane and affords a quick means of land travel in case of a shortage of gasoline or disability of the airplane engine. If the aviators were lost in the Mexican desert during General Pershing's expedition had been equipped with motorcycles their return to headquarters would have been a matter of only a few hours instead of a three days' wait for the searching party.

The answer to the Health Question often lies in a change of table drink

HEALTHY POSTUM FIRST







## Crawford Avalanche

C. P. Schumann, Editor and Proprietor.

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAY 3



"My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land of Liberty!"

THE WAR department recently announced that its former policy of refusing any new National Guard organizations has been changed. It is understood at the headquarters of the Michigan War Preparedness Board that only enough organizations will be admitted to complete the Michigan-Ontario division.

If the bars are let down no further than this, the new units will be a few troops of cavalry and a few batteries of artillery, only. This need not worry the young men who are anxious to enlist; there is a place for him in companies already organized and equipped.

Michigan has three regiments of Infantry, each regiment containing 15 companies; two troops of cavalry; two batteries of artillery; two ambulance companies and one field hospital; an engineer company and a signal corps company. There are, all told, about 4,000 men in these organizations. To put them at war strength, about 3,500 more are needed today.

Enlisting in a company already in service, or armed, equipped and awaiting the call, has distinct advantage over waiting for a new draft. Practically every National Guard organization now in service has been in mobilization camps or on the border for from six to ten months, learning the duties of his profession, which means that his men will be as well-cared-for as in the regular army. There are vacancies in all companies and recruits can have their choice of companies, enabling them to be with friends from their home towns. There is plenty of expert instruction, which will shorten the probation period. The recruit can also choose the branch of the service for which he happens to be best trained.

Most of these advantages do not exist in new organizations and the privilege of picking and choosing may be impossible later. And the government need is as pressing now as it can possibly be later.

## A Million Back Yards.

What of your back yard? Is it littered up with refuse, or abandoned to weeds?

Plow it up and plant potatoes or other foodstuffs. It may yield only a dozen bushels or so, and as only one back yard its effect upon the national yield would be but an atom.

But if a million back yards were thus tilled, think of the result! Twelve million bushels or more of potatoes or other foods from back yards alone!

And every available foot of ground, wherever found, should receive the same attention.

The president and the nation are appealing to you personally. Let us of this community answer it with instant action.

FREE OFFER—Cut this out and mail it to the Avalanche at once and we will send to the names you suggest a month's free subscription. The following are not subscribers to the Avalanche and I request that you send them four week's subscription free, without any obligation to me:

Name Address

## Local News

The Army of the Tilters will run among the immortal patriots of history. Get a hoe!

Mrs. McKinley Rolston of Mt. Pleasant is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pond.

The man who readily recognizes the good qualities of others is never without them himself.

W. T. Lewis and wife returned last week to their home in Frederic after spending a most pleasant winter in Florida.

The remains of Jacob Rosenkilde, a former resident of Grayling will be brot here from Superior, Wisconsin, Friday, and the funeral will be held Saturday. Mr. Rosenkilde died at the home of a sister April 29. He was 55 years old and leaves two sisters and one brother.

Ervin Streeter, who has been working in Durand for the past several months moved his family to Bay City Tuesday. Mr. Streeter who formerly held the position as millwright at the planing mill has a similar position in Durand, and wished to have his family nearer to his work, so he might spend each week-end with them.

William Fischer and John Benson declined to open the doors of their saloons May 1st, thus Grayling's thirst parties have been reduced from five to three. Mr. Benson says that he intends to enjoy a few months fishing and at his cottage at Portage Lake, after which he will remodel his building for a store. Mr. Fischer has not decided just what he will do.

We notice in the Detroit News yesterday, the death of A. P. W. Becker, a former minister of the Danish-Lutheran church of Grayling, at the home of his son, Sigurd Becker. The old gentleman with his estimable family will be well remembered in Grayling. He is also the father of Axel Becker, formerly cashier of the Johannesburg bank, but who now resides in Detroit.

Marshall Mike Brenner has an addition to his police force in the installation of dummy traffic officers. Observation of the regulation of keeping to the right, especially in turning corners, is sure to be of great assistance in the avoiding of accidents. A red flag marks their location by day and a red lighted lantern at night. This does not only apply to the town section but every street and corner in town.

Ed. Strell has purchased the pool room of Harold Swaffield and took possession Tuesday. Mr. Strell has been employed in the City restaurant for several years past and is a real hustler. His friends will wish him good luck in his new enterprise. Mr. Swaffield has not decided just what he will do. Both Mr. Strell and Mr. Swaffield are young men of good ability and stand well in our business circles as well as socially, and their success is assured in whatever business they may enter. We welcome Mr. Strell among our business men.

## Get Rid of Your Rheumatism.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You will find Chamberlain's Rheumatism Remedy a great relief, for it affords relief many times its cost.

## The Best Remedy for Whooping Cough.

"Last winter when my little boy had the whooping cough I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. J. B. Roberts, East St. Louis, Ill. "It kept his cough loose and relieved him of those dreadful coughing spells. It is the only cough medicine I keep in the house because I have the most confidence in it." This remedy is also good for colds and croup.

## NOTICE

The Board of Review of the Village of Grayling will meet at the Town Hall, May 15 and 16, 1917, for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll.

JAMES W. SORENSON, Assessor.

## Our Coffee and Tea

Line is complete. We handle all the leading and best brands which have stood the test for many years, such as

Black Salada, Green Royal Gem, Silver Cross, Harvest Moon, Gold Seal and Our Favorite Coffee. Best Brands only 25 to 50c.

WE WILL HAVE A FULL LINE OF

Manistee Fried Cakes, Kringles and Vinerbread Every Wednesday and Saturday

H. Petersen, GROCER

## The STAR-SPANGLED BANNER.

By Francis Scott Key.

O SAY, can you see, by the dawn's early light,  
What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight  
O'er the ramparts we watch'd were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rocket's red glare, the bomb bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there,  
O say, does that Star Spangled Banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

ON the shore, dimly seen through mists of the deep,  
Where the foe's haughty host in dread silence reposes,  
What is that which the breeze o'er the towering steep,  
As it fitfully blows, half conceals, half discloses?  
Now it catches the gleam of the morning's first beam,  
In full glory reflected now shines in the stream,  
Tis the Star Spangled Banner! O, long may it wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!

AND where is that land who so vauntingly swore,  
That the havoc of war and the battle's confusion,  
A home and a country should leave us no more?  
Their blood has wash'd out their foul footsteps' pollution!  
No refuge could save the hireling and slave  
From the terror of flight or the gloom of the grave,  
And the Star Spangled Banner in triumph shall wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

THUS be it ever, when freemen shall stand  
Between their lov'd home and the war's desolation!  
Blest with vict'ry and peace, may the heav'n rescued land  
Praise the power that hath made and preserved us a nation!  
Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just,  
And this be our motto: "In God is our trust!"  
And the Star Spangled Banner in triumph shall wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!

[From Key's own manuscript.]

## Expert Advice For the Automobile Owner

Queries and Replies Covering Matters of Importance to the Man Who Runs a Car

There is a peculiar grinding noise in the transmission of my car. It is noticeable only when running on high speed and at a rate of from about fifteen to twenty-five miles per hour. Can you advise me as to what the trouble might be?

If the gears give a steady hum when the car is operated in high, there may be nothing wrong with the gears. A steady hum from the rear axle is emitted by nearly all makes of cars. However, if there are stresses at intervals in the sound the gears may be out of round. This is another way of saying that either the gears are not running true or the gears themselves are out of shape. Such a condition may be caused by improper initial but more usually by tampering with the bevel adjustments or by the gears being allowed to operate in oil containing small particles of metal. There may be one or more teeth with high spots. It is surprising what damage dirt can do to rear axle gears. A small particle of dirt on one of the teeth may cause the gears to give an unsteady sound like that caused by gears which themselves are running out of alignment. The thrust bearings may be worn. It is advised that you have the gears removed and trued up in the shop, for it is almost impossible to detect the cause of an out of round when the gears are in the casing. If you do not wish to go to this trouble, try clean lubricant and before placing it into the case wash the case thoroughly and give the gears a good cleaning, also using kerosene freely in both instances.

My car begins to lag when about halfway up a hill. Does the slanting position of the car interfere with a proper supply of gasoline to the carburetor? It is not likely that your trouble is due to the position of the tank, but it is probably caused by dirt in the feed pipe. The dirt does not prevent the flow entirely, but reduces it so that not enough gasoline is supplied to the float chamber to satisfy the extra demand put upon the car when it is climbing a hill. Disconnect the feed pipe at the carburetor and note whether the flow is free; if not, remove the pipe and clean it with a wire. If the trouble still persists, adjust the carburetor to give a richer mixture.

The gasoline flow, due to the low position of the tank, should not be affected except on a steep hill. If you feel, however, that the flow is not sufficient you might install a tank holding about a pint directly in front and slightly above the carburetor. This tank is merely connected in the line, has no valves and is only a reservoir, but with sufficient capacity to carry the longest hills, even though the supply of fuel were cut off.

Can a vibrator be converted to a non-vibrator coil for use with a low tension magnet? A vibrator coil could be used as a non-vibrator coil by removing the vibrator mechanism entirely and taking the primary and secondary terminals and attaching them to their proper places. Another way would be to short circuit the vibrator terminals. The coil then virtually becomes one of the non-vibrator type. This practice is not recommended, and in connection with a low tension magnet it might result in considerable trouble. There would be little gained, as the magnet already has an interrupter and is designed for use with a non-vibrating coil.

What is your opinion of a transmission service brake?

As a general proposition such a brake is considered very efficient. In designing the parts of the car, when a transmission brake is to be used, the extra strain that this imposes must, of course, be taken into consideration.

Settlers in Maple Forest township are warned from letting their cattle trespass on my farm meadows. The fences will be made safe as soon as the weather will permit, but I shall protect my property. E. O. Beriver.

## CHASING A COYOTE IN AUTO EXCITING SPORT

Hound, Sighting Game, Leaps Over Mud Shield and Lands Twenty Feet Ahead of Car.

Larned, Kan.—An exciting coyote chase in automobiles took place near Hanston. The party consisted of Bill Hann, John Hann, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Seaman and William Warring. They went in two cars and took three greyhounds in each car.

Mr. Warring says that auto polo is mild compared with the way those two cars chased across the prairie, faines and bluffs after coyotes. He said that his speedometer registered forty miles one time when he dared to glance at it and he was afraid to look again.

They were going along between twenty and thirty miles an hour at the time they started up the first coyote, and when the biggest hound in Mr. Warring's car sighted the wolf it leaped over the mud shield and hood and landed running twenty feet ahead of the car. The coyote was a big fellow, but the hounds finally brought him down, the big hound throwing him, while the others pinned him down.

While chasing the first coyote the other auto nearly ran over another one, which leaped up almost from under the wheels of the car. The men shot at it several times, wounding it, but because of the speed of the bounding car could not get but poor aim. It finally ran into a hole and was bashed out with a wire. Messrs. Hann and Seaman have killed many coyotes.

## WIRELESS PLANT IN BED.

Annapolis, Middle Receives Messages Through Springs.

Annapolis, Md.—That a series of bed-springs connected by wires makes a satisfactory condenser for a wireless station has been proved by Midshipman J. B. Dow of the fourth class at the Naval academy.

Dow has connected the springs of his own and his two roommates' beds and attached them to a receiver. He has been able to pick up messages sent from and to the Arlington station. He has found out that it is not necessary to open the windows of his room in Bancroft hall or even to remove the bedding.

It is stated that Dow's use of the bed-springs to receive radio messages may be of considerable practical value.

Waits Fifty Years For Father's Gift. Pittsburgh, Pa.—It cost fifty years of waiting and a lawsuit against his stepmother, but John W. Baker of New Bloomfield recently received \$525, turned over to his mother by his father in 1867. It was to be his on his father's death, but Mrs. Rebecca T. Baker, stepmother and administratrix, had withheld payment.

## WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No ad. taken for less than 15 cents. There are about six words to the line. SEND MONEY WITH THE ORDER.

FOUND—An automobile tail light on Portage Lake road. Owner, if they have same by calling at this office.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Meat market fixtures and stock. C. S. Barber, Frederic, Mich.

CARPENTERS WANTED—to take contract for building Mess shacks and kitchens. Capt. W. H. Case, Military Reservation, Grayling. 5-3-3

FOR SALE—House and lot, located on South side Grayling; near store. Also 40 acres at Worth, on main road between Pinconning and Standish, 1/2 mile from R. R. depot. Near to school. Good soil. Has poplar and tag alder. Cash or easy terms. Address John Belchak, Grayling or inquire at Avalanche office. 5-3-11

LOST—Bunch of keys. Finder please notify L. C. Buddgaard. 5-3-2

FOR SALE—Having sold my house and a portion of my furniture and desire to go South soon I will sell the balance of my furniture at a great sacrifice. Have rug, dishes, tables, cabinet and stove yet to sell. Call Phone 1213, S. B. Brot. 5-3-1

FOR SALE—Five lots, good location. For prices and terms call on R. L. Newell, Grayling, or Phone 921. 5-3-3

25 CARPENTERS wanted for rough work. Capt. W. H. Case, Military Reservation, Grayling. 5-3-3

WANTED—To rent three or four rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Inquire at the Max Landsberg store.

WANTED—Old tires and tubes. Highest market prices paid. Grayling Vulcanizing and Tire Repair Co.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS, everbearing variety, 50c per dozen, up to May 15. Ernest F. Cowell. 4-26-2

ANYONE WANTING a first class buggy cheap, write, or phone John Stephan, Grayling, Mich. 4-26-2

GIRL WANTED—For general housework. Phone 1112, or inquire at Avalanche office, Grayling.

WANTED—A man for general farm work. Apply to D. Isabier, foreman, Crawford county Fruit farm, Lovell, Mich.

EGGS for hatching. From thoroughbred Barred Plymouth Rock. \$1.00 per setting (15 eggs). Phone 713, J. M. Bunting.

## ONE LIVE BARGAIN

Bungalow and Garage for Sale, built 2 years, A No. 1 lumber throat, hardwood floors, living room 24x12. Very best location in town. \$1250 cash, or \$1350 on time, cash payment down. Investigate this bargain at once. Phone No 1244.

Geo. H. Belanger, Grayling, Mich.

## SALLING, HANSON CO.

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT

## Laces and Embroideries

Never before has this store had as large and beautiful lines of Laces and Embroideries as we have at this time, and we doubt if any stores north of Detroit are showing larger lines.

These are beautiful and of exquisite textures and such as will at once win the admiration and appreciation of the ladies of Grayling and surrounding counties. You are cordially invited to call and see these articles.

This is the season of the year when every family is in need of more or less in Laces and Embroideries and we request that you make your selections early.

## SALLING, HANSON C.

WE SELL EVERYTHING

## Ladies' Novelty Shoes and Slippers

We just received a new line of Ladies' Novelty Shoes and Slippers

## Black with White Tops Black with Gray Tops

## MAX LANDSBERG

Shoes and Gents' Furnishings Grayling, Mich.

## FOR TACKLE That Catches the Fish

Call on us, as we are headquarters for Fishing Tackle of all kinds and our prices are right as we purchased our stock before the big advance.

## We Have Everything in the Line of Fishing Tackle

and the BEST that can be bought,

## A. KRAUS ESTATE

Hardware, Sporting Goods and Plumbing. Phone 1222.

Advertisements Here Cost Little Compared With Results



## HAVE YOUR PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED HERE

When our fathers were sick the doctor who was called in carried his saddle packs and medicine case and proceeded to dose out what was needed. That day is past. He now writes.

### PRESCRIPTIONS

These, to be effective, must be filled absolutely as called for, or gave danger to the patient may result. They must all be compounded of Pure, Fresh Drugs. All of which this store GUARANTEES to every patron. Compounding prescriptions is our mission in life. We solicit the privilege of compounding yours.

**A. M. LEWIS**

Your Druggist

Phone 18

## Local News

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAY 3

This is baby week in the United States.

A new telephone directory was issued May 1st. It is right up to date.

Emil Hanson and wife of Detroit, made a short visit here the first of the week.

There are three classes of men today—fighters, producers, and slackers. Your choice!

Mrs. Richard A. McPeak and two sons of Bay City visited at the home of her son, Lester and family over Sunday.

John Holliday was quite ill the last part of last week, but is feeling very much improved and able to care for his duties at the store.

Oscar Deckrow has been awarded a diploma in the Automobile course from the International Correspondence school of Scranton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hollingsworth of the South side are the proud parents of a fine baby boy born last Thursday, April 26. Mrs. Hollingsworth was formerly Miss Elsie Stitt.

Messrs. George Smith and Martin Blumenthal and the Misses Florence Smith, Hazel Blumenthal and Sue Doherty all of West Branch were guests of friends here over the Junior Hop.

Chris Lichty of Traverse City is in the city to do some finishing work on some of the homes built here recently. He is one of the most competent and skilled wood workers to be found anywhere in Michigan.

Elmer Head and family of South Branch township are moving to Johannesburg this week. Mr. Head has purchased the meat market of George McKenzie of that village and will engage in the meat business.

Miss Elsie Mortenson returned Monday to Flint after enjoying a pleasant vacation since before Easter with her parents, who reside in Beaver Creek. Mr. Frank Barker, who has also been visiting at the Mortenson home, left for Flint Monday.

Miss Louise Gougeon, daughter of Mrs. George Gougeon of Bay City, and Mr. David Cody of Detroit were united in marriage at St. James church, Bay City, Monday morning, April 23. Mrs. Cody has visited relatives and friends here at different times and is quite well known.

Members of Camp Wagner, No. 33, N. L. V. S. and No. 10, L. N. L. enjoyed a very pleasant evening at K. O. T. M. hall Friday, April 27, at the close of the business session of Camp No. 33. Lunch was served by the Ladies, after which those present enjoyed playing progressive pedro. First prizes were awarded Mrs. Lizzie Serven and A. B. Felling. Consolation prizes were awarded Mrs. Mae Ketzbeck and Orson Corvin.

Max Landsberg was in West Branch Tuesday.

Miss Celia Bivrais spent Sunday visiting at her home here.

"The Argyle Case" at the Opera house tomorrow night, Friday, May 4.

Fresh Danish baked goods at the Model Bakery every Saturday. 1w.

Mrs. Lucile Baker and daughter of Bay City spent Sunday visiting friends here.

Mrs. Cameron Game and daughter, Joyce are spending this week with friends in Bay City.

Thos. Cassidy visited relatives and old friends at his former home in Cheboygan over Sunday.

The Junior Aid society will meet at the home of Elsie Zalsman Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock.

With famine a grave possibility, there is no room in this town for the man who won't work. Pass on!

Hodge & King have installed a fine new soda fountain in the Royal Cafe, in connection with their restaurant.

Miss Anna E. Peterson is entertaining Miss Edith Beahls of Gladstone, Michigan, who arrived the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Thomas Rousseau and little niece, Alice Talbot of Detroit are visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Heike and family.

The Hospital Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. J. H. Lamb Thursday, May 10. Mrs. Lamb and Mrs. A. J. Joseph will entertain.

Miss Beulah Dingeman of Cheboygan visited her many friends here over Sunday. She came to be in attendance at the Junior Hop.

Claire Langdon of Ypsilanti, who was mobilized with the Signal Corps at Camp Ferris last summer, was a guest of friends here over the Junior Hop.

Miss Anna Boeson expects to leave Friday for an extended visit with relatives and friends in different cities in Southern Michigan. She expects to return about July 1.

At Pinconning the other day the school pupils went on a strike because there was no flag floating from the flag pole at the school grounds. They struck for "no flag, no school," and won of course.—Ex.

We see in the Bulletin of the Metropolitan Presbyterian church Washington D. C. that Rev. J. C. Elliott is the acting pastor of that church. Rev. Elliott spent two months last summer while recovering from a severe illness in this city. While here he preached each Sabbath A. M. in the Presbyterian church.

Sunday, May 13th is Mothers' day. Observe the day by wearing a red flower for the living mother and white for the dear departed. And further let there be United States flags on display in every home and other appropriate places. Go to church that day and hear an inspiring tribute to mothers and to the memories of those departed, and take part in the services appropriate to the day.

N. P. Olson has closed out his livery business.

Clyde Kling is entertaining friends from Bay City this week.

Ren Landsberg was in Detroit Saturday to Monday, on business.

See Geo. L. Alexander & Son before purchasing automobile insurance.

Attend the big patriotic meeting at the school house Friday night, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kraus and little son, are now comfortably settled in their beautiful new home on Michigan avenue.

Mrs. Jacob Collen and children arrived Saturday from Swartz Creek and expects to remain for a couple of months.

A woman appeared on the streets the other day with a potato on her hat, and was promptly pinched for grand larceny.

Isadore J. Metevia Jr., the year old son of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Metevia of T-town passed away Wednesday of last week after a brief illness. The funeral was held Friday afternoon.

Supervisor Melvin A. Bates and Highway Commissioner Peter F. Jorgensen made an official business visit to the office of the State Highway commissioner at Lansing first of the week.

A May dancing party will be given at the Temple theatre Saturday evening, May 5. There will be music by Clark's orchestra, and dancing will begin at 9:00. Everybody is cordially invited.

Gen. L. C. Covell of Grand Rapids, of the Michigan National guard and W. G. Rogers, of Lansing, Quartermaster general, were in Grayling Tuesday and made an official visit to the Military reservation.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid meeting, that was to have been held Friday afternoon, May 4, at the home of Mrs. T. Hanson, has been postponed, on account of other important affairs taken place on that day, to Wednesday, May 9th.

See Robert Warwick in the role of a detective in "The Argyle Case" at the Opera house tomorrow night, Friday. This picture is full of mystery, adventure, romance and heroism. Don't fail to see it. Admission prices 25 and 15 cents.

Mrs. Snively died in Detroit Sunday and the remains were brot to Roscommon Tuesday for burial. She was the mother of Mrs. G. W. Hayl, formerly of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Hejl and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hanson all of Detroit were present at the funeral.

Information was received that Frank Hartwell had passed away at his home in Bay City Monday morning, and was interred at Twinning Wednesday. Mr. Hartwell and family formerly lived in Grayling, leaving here about four years ago. He left a wife, daughter and son.

There is one patriotic thing we can all do. That is to buy at home and keep our money in circulation at home as much as possible. And the local dealer can demonstrate his own patriotism by keeping his prices down as much as possible. Every little helps—both ways.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hanson entertained a number of ladies and gentlemen at dinner Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Spencer Melstrup of Lansing. In the afternoon the ladies sewed and at 6:00 o'clock were joined by their husbands. It was a very pleasant occasion and much enjoyed by those present.

James W. Overton of Flint was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday on business. While here he called on many of his former friends and enjoyed a real good visit. During his residence here he was employed in the M. C. round house and also was manager of the Grayling Opera house. At present, he is with the Mason Motor company at Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Brenner gave a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. Ervin S. Streeter at their home last Saturday evening. Miss Ruth Brenner also entertained a number of schoolmates of Miss Eleanor Streeter the same evening. The elders enjoyed themselves with cards, while the young folks spent the evening in music and dancing. At 10:00 o'clock a serve self lunch was enjoyed by the 30 guests present. Miss Eleanor was presented with a pretty spoon to remember her schoolmates by.

Herbert C. Hoover, the great American success as chairman of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium, did his work so well that the people say he is more efficient than the Germans themselves. President Wilson has called him home to be head of the American Food Board. He is still in London, but he sends a call from there to the American people to get ready for starvation. This call every patriotic American should hear—enter, farmer and college student alike. The man who plants another acre of corn this spring, or the student who helps him cultivate it, is surely a patriot meeting our greatest need.

Mrs. P. P. Mahoney entertained about thirty friends at her home Wednesday evening of last week in honor of the thirtieth wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Balhoff. Progressive pedro was a pleasant pastime and first prizes were won by Mrs. William E. Havens and William McNeven, and consolations went to Miss Alma Rowe and Charles Amidon. When a dainty lunch was served after the cards, Mr. Amidon in behalf of the guests presented Mrs. Balhoff with a beautiful rug and Mr. Balhoff with a watch chain, on which was the inscription O. R. C.—All left at a late hour wishing Mr. and Mrs. Balhoff many more years of happiness together.

## Eggs For Hatching

White Plymouth Rock Eggs  
Per Setting of 15 . . . \$1.00

Barred Plymouth Rock Eggs  
Per Setting of 15 . . . 75c

Both kinds are from thoroughbred stock and guaranteed 80 per cent fertile.

**E. J. OLSON.**

Inquire at Shoe Repair Shop  
Grayling, Mich.

Fresh Danish baked goods at the Model bakery every Saturday. 1w.

Miss Marie Hutchinson of Vanderbilt, Mich. was a guest of Mrs. Lillian Burritt over Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Withee of Detroit is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Everett and sister, Miss Gladys this week.

Emil Saari and family have moved from Grayling. Mr. Saari recently purchased a fine farm, and the family are now settled in their new home in the Finnish settlement near Lewiston.

The reports that are current in the state newspapers that the Officers' reserve corps is full and no more enrollments are wanted, are a mistake.

There are still lots of room and fine opportunities for enrollment in this corps; the training quarters for which are located near Chicago. Capt. W. H. Case is chairman of the County enrollment committee for the Michigan division. Other members of the committee are Marius Hanson, O. P. Schumann and A. M. Lewis. Applications may be made to any one of the above named persons. The opportunity for promotion in military departments seems certain and many.

Mrs. O. W. Rosser entertained fifteen young men at her home Saturday evening in honor of her son, Will J. Lauder and his guests, Ernest Carlisle, Lester Roscoe and Charles Brown, members of the M. A. C. orchestra of East Lansing, who furnished the music for the "J" Hop here Friday evening.

During the evening the boys played several selections on piano, violin, saxophone, banjo and ukulele to the pleasure of the guests. Benjamin Erasick of Bay City, also played several fine numbers on the violin, which was greatly enjoyed by all. Later, refreshments were served by four young ladies and at a late hour all left hoping that the boys would return to Grayling soon again.

The trout fishing season opened Tuesday, May 1st, and that day saw the usual influx of fishermen enroute to the various trout streams that abound Grayling. Some came as early as Saturday so to be on hand when the season opened. May 1st was one of the most miserable days we have had in many weeks. There was rain, snow and cold to contend with and was anything but pleasant for the "Isaac Waltons." However it takes more than that to damp the valor of the arduous piscatorialists who come here for trout fishing, recreation and health. Also there was a fair representation of local fishermen on the streams. Tuesday and several nice catches are reported.

Major A. H. Gansser, of the 33rd regiment has been secured to deliver the address at the patriotic meeting at the school house Friday night. Major Gansser is no stranger to many Grayling people. He has ever been a patriotic citizen. He has personally rallied to our flag and knows what service to our country means. He is serving his second term as State senator from Bay and Midland counties. During the time he was with his company at El Paso his seat in the Senate hall was draped with a fine large American flag. He returned the latter part of the legislative session and at the time that war was declared with Germany he made one of the finest patriotic speeches ever heard in Senate hall. The committee in charge of affairs for the mass meeting tomorrow night was exceedingly fortunate in being able to obtain the Major for the principal speaker. Come yourself, bring the rest of your family and invite your friends and neighbors. This meeting is for all who are able to attend—out of town people as well as those in the city. There is no charge for admission. There will be a brief musical program by pupils of the school and others.

**Eighth Grade Examination.**

The regular eighth grade examination for 1917 will be held on Thursday and Friday, May 10th and 11th, at the High school building in Grayling and at the High school building in Fredrick.

On the second day of the examination twenty questions on Agriculture will be submitted to the boys writing the examination. The boy having the highest average standing on the regular examination and the questions on agriculture will be given a free trip to the State fair to be held in Detroit, September 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7th.

As a part of the examination every one will be required to write from memory the words of America and the words of The Star Spangled Banner.

Jas. A. Kalahar,  
Commissioner.

# NATIONAL BABY WEEK

Special showing this week of Furnishings for infants and children—including

White Dresses, Skirts, Bands, Shirts, Hosiery, Bootees, Bonnets, Sweaters, Sacques, Blankets, Rubber Diapers.

See our Special Baby Window Display



The Newest Spring and Summer Wash Fabrics

Fancy satin striped Voiles, 36 and 40 in. wide, 65 and 75c

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Some beautiful Sport Silks in the new colors, \$1.75, \$2 and \$2.50

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Men, we will be glad to show you our new arrivals in Style-Plus Suits at \$17.00. Plenty of patterns and styles for the business men or for the young fellows. The best suit for quality and style at its price in America.

Big assortment of Men's Shirts, and we are still selling Monarchs at \$1.00

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Silk Shirts at \$3.50

We are eager to have every woman in this vicinity know of the merits of the Wirthmor \$1.00 Waist

We want them to know this not only because they will thereafter buy them repeatedly, but more particularly because it demonstrates so convincingly the splendid results that can be attained when the retailer and manufacturer unite in close co-operation with a sincere desire to well serve the buying public. And in this connection let us add that we avail ourselves of every opportunity for such co-operation as will be an aid in bettering our service or values.

These thoroughly desirable Wirthmor Waists can be sold in just one good store in every city and they are sold here exclusively.

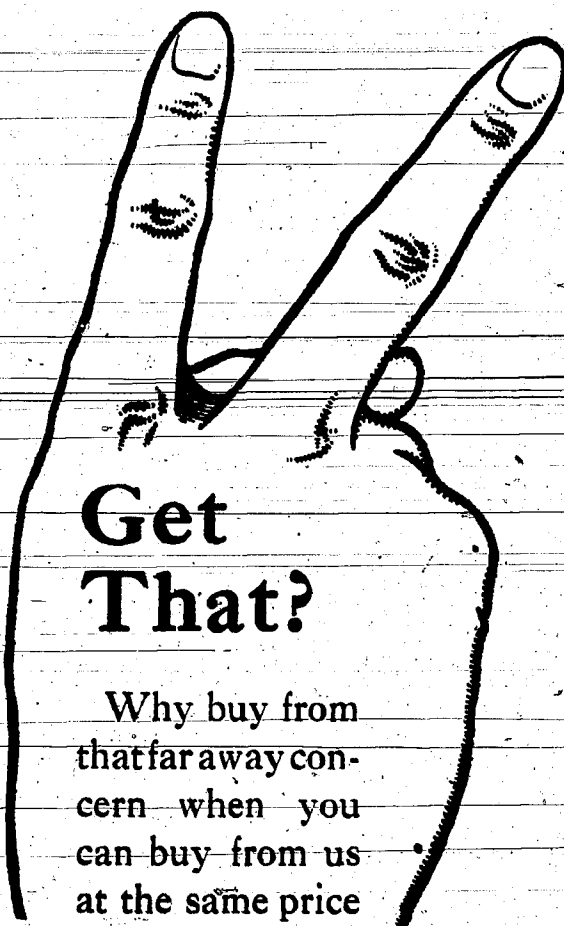
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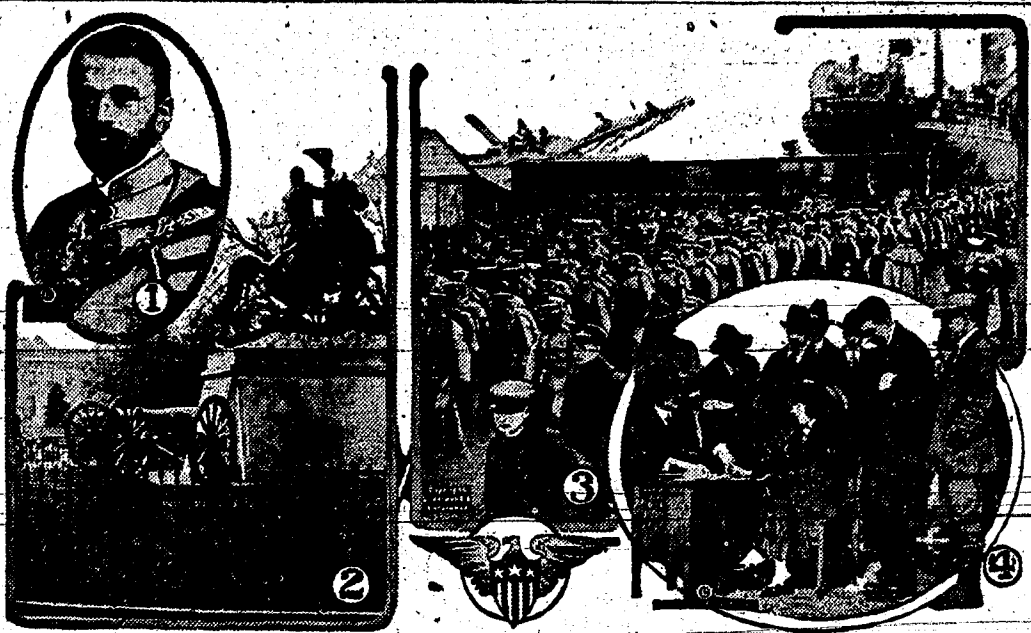
## SOLDIERS IN NEED OF SEWING KITS

WAR BOARD ASKS WOMEN OF MICHIGAN TO SUPPLY THESE NECESSARY ADJUNCTS.

22,500 WILL BE NEEDED

Each Soldier's Outfit Should Include One of These Kits and Contain Needles, Thread, Etc.

(By W. L. CALNON.)



1—Count Julius Andrássy, former Hungarian premier, who organized a coalition party and caused the resignation of the cabinet. 2—Cannon in Lafayette park, Washington, near the White House, plugged to prevent any chance of their being fired. 3—Portuguese expeditionary force arriving at Brest, France, to help fight the Germans. 4—Mrs. Waldo Pierce enlisting students of Columbia college in the aviation corps she is organizing at Port Washington, L. I.

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There is, of course, a direct relation between the house and its surroundings. By this we mean that either the surroundings must be laid out for the house, or, as in the case where a spot of special natural beauty is selected for the building site, the house must be designed for the surroundings. The latter case obtains in some small towns and in country estates. The former case, or a compromise between the two, exists in the larger towns and cities.

Perhaps it is not the case in this country so much as it is in some of the European countries, but the fact is true, nevertheless, that for the lover of beauty both natural and architectural the small town which has been situated where nature has furnished plenty of trees, a pleasing topography and clear watered streams—such a town offers the best possible site for the building of a home. The point is this: It is cheaper and usually more satisfactory to let nature furnish the attractive surroundings and model the home into the background, than to build the background for the home.

Not that those who have studied in the subject of scenic architecture

are not able to produce pleasing surroundings for the house, for they have proved their ability to do so. Because it is impossible for some lovers of beauty to go where nature has provided it, the work of the landscape architect is very important. The small town blessed with natural beauty is, then, not so much to be considered as the only possible site for the building of a beautiful home as it is to be considered as a spot which offers advantages hard to obtain in imitation of nature, unless a large sum of money is available for the purpose.

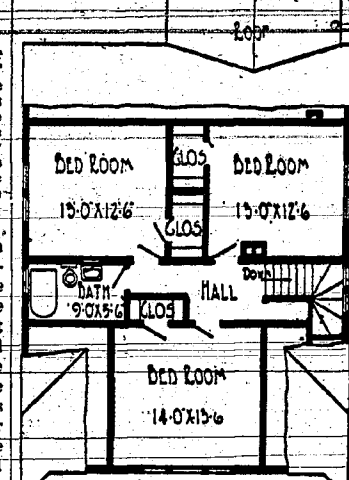
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Second-Floor Plan.

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## GAME FISHING

DIXIE CARROLL  
Author of LAKE and STREAM GAME FISHING

## HOME LIFE OF THE BASS.

My Dear Buck:

You ask for a little info on the habits and home life of the black bass and when and where to find him. The bass, both large and small-mouthed, is a roamer, a lively, active hunter for the best place to gorge himself on the choice minnows, crawfish and helminths, with a dessert from the surface of the water of moths, flies and frogs. He is a great little traveler, and soon becomes big chief of the waters in which he lives. With such a varied menu, you will find him ever ready for a fight, equally eager for fly-hook, trolling-spoon, live bait or plug, right on the job to put up a struggle that will test your skill. You can fish for him night or day as he is a 24-hour feeder, but early morning and late afternoon is the surest time to get him right. He is an active rogue and continually rising from the bottom to the surface, at times jumping above the water in pursuit of his feed. He changes his home and feeding ground as the season passes. In the spring he is found in the shallow water in the streams and rivers, below rapids and riffles, as the water warms up he moves to the deep pools lying along-side of windfalls and logs, rocky ledges and weedy spots. During the hot summer he migrates to greater depths where the water is cool. Likewise in the lakes, the bass are "at home" in the spring, in the shallow places, lying off of the sand bars and gravel formation; you can count on a good catch, close inshore in the very low water. A little later when the weeds, lilies and reeds are well grown you will find him in that vicinity. Both the large and small-mouthed bass are often found in the same lakes, but in different localities. The small-mouth favors the stony bars or shoals varying in depth from two to forty or fifty feet, while the large-mouth prefers the weeds and muddy bottoms.

## East Wind Not So Bad.

Weather conditions have been blamed since the time of Noah for an empty stringer or creel. Rainy days, pleasant days, all kinds of winds and especially an east wind have been cursed as the cause of "fisherman's luck." Remember this, the bass keeps on filling the feed-bag just the same, and an east wind is better than no wind at all. You will get more bass when the surface of the water is slightly ruffled by a breeze than when fishing on a clear still day. Last year, at the opening of the season in Wisconsin, Jim and I landed 19 fine largemouth bass from a little bay in something less than an hour, one casting while the other held the boat off shore. There was quite a stiff east wind blowing and the surface of the water was broken by a continuous roll of small waves. The bass ranged from two and one-half to five pounds and were caught between five and six o'clock, after we had fished all day with very poor luck. These fish, Buck, were caught with a white Wilson wobler with a red head and with a Jamison Coaker plug.

## Bass Have Keen Sight.

While playing the game, don't for a minute forget that a bass has eyes, and he sure knows how to use them. Once he lumps you, your bait or lure are not for him, he is moved to other quarters. Don't stand in the boat and open up with a personally conducted sightseeing tour before you cast. He also hears, and often you will think that he is exceptionally keen in both of these senses. While in a boat bear in mind that sound vibrations carry farther in the water than you cast, and under water sounds mean a frightened fish. Save useless casts in a pool from which the fish have been removed. Don't telegraph the bass before inviting him to come in out of the water.

A bass will always gorge his food, but there is quite a difference in his mousing of baits. If you are fishing with live bait, a minnow, crawfish or frog, he will strike without much force and will mull the bait around in his mouth a bit before swallowing it, in fact with a live minnow he will turn it around in his mouth and swallow it headfirst. In this case do not strike him too quickly, but give him a little time to play the bait before striking. A bass handles a live bait somewhat similar to the play of a cat with a mouse it has caught. Many a time I have torn a minnow in half through striking too soon, having the pleasure of baiting again instead of landing the bass that had a half hold on my bait. If you are using a wooden minnow or plug, however, strike quickly right after the bass strikes, as he immediately discovers that it is not a choice morsel of food, and disconnects.

## DIXIE.

## Reds Get Tomas Romanek.

Tomas Romanek, the Cuban baseball player, who played outfield in an independent league last year, has signed a contract with the Cincinnati National League club for the 1917 season.

## Soccer Gains Popularity.

With the arrival of soccer players who formerly played on teams in England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, the popularity of the kicking style of football is growing in the United States.

## HORSE MEAT MARKET OPENED

The first market for the sale of horse flesh in New York city, and probably in the United States, has been opened, and if it is successful the city is to have other establishments for the same purpose. The new market is subject to the regulations of the department of health, and in order that there may be no deception it will sell nothing except horse meat. Veterinarians of the department of health su-

pervised the slaughterhouses and take every precaution to safeguard the consumer. Dr. W. Horace Hoskins, dean of the New York State Veterinary college, has written the following letter to the department of health of New York city in regard to the new venture: "I am much interested, and quite approve of the action of your department in permitting the opening of establishments for the sale of horse meat. So clean an animal, so free from tuberculosis and many other serious, lesions common to our flesh-producing animals, and the continually soaring high prices of animal foods make it extremely desirable that opportunities be afforded to obtain cheaply. The long prejudice held by so many people against horse meat I trust will soon be eliminated."

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## RULES THAT GOVERN DISPLAY OF FLAG

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Since the country has been thrown into a state of excitement over the war with Germany, many citizens in all parts of the city have shown their positions by displaying the Stars and Stripes prominently, and a few rules governing the display of the flag might not go amiss. The data was gathered from the "Stars and Stripes," edited by Charles W. Stewart, superintendent of the library and naval war records at Washington.

The following official regulations govern the use and display of the national emblem:

On Memorial day, May 30, the flag should fly at half-staff from sunrise to noon, and at full-staff from noon to sunset. The flag should first be raised to full staff and then lowered to half-staff. The flag should not be hoisted before sunrise, nor be allowed to remain up after sunset.

The flag should never be allowed to

touch the ground, and should never be raised or lowered by any mechanical appliance.

When the national and state, or other flags fly together, the national flag should be on the right.

When the flag is flown at half-staff, as a sign of mourning, it should be hoisted to full staff at the conclusion of the funeral.

Whenever possible, the flag should be flown from a staff or mast, but should not be fastened to the side of a building, platform or scaffolding. It should not be used as the cover over a table, desk or box, or where anything can be set or placed upon the flag.

When the flag is used as a banner, the union should fly to the north in streets running east and west, and to the east on streets running north and south.

When flags are used in unveiling a statue or monument, they should not be allowed to fall to the ground, but should be carried aloft to wave out, forming a distinctive feature during the remainder of the ceremony.

The "Union" is the blue ground, covered with stars, each state having its star fixed by its number in the order of admission to the Union.

A flag should never be hoisted with

the stars at the outer side, but always next to the staff, except in cases where the owner wishes to give a distress signal.

When the national colors are passing on parade or review the spectators should, if walking, halt; and if sitting, rise and stand at attention and uncover.

The "Star Spangled Banner" is the national anthem of the United States by act of congress. The military regulations prescribe that when the national anthem of any country is played at official occasions, persons of the military service not in formation shall stand at attention facing the music. In uniform or civilian clothes uncovered they shall salute during the playing; if in civilian clothes covered, hold the head dress opposite the left shoulder (in inclement weather slightly raised.)

The national anthem is not to be played as part of a medley nor to be repeated by an army band.

Bunting for decorations, should be placed with the red at the top, white below and blue at the bottom.

A flag used "as a street banner" should be hung across the street at an equal distance between curbs.

To display the flag at half mast, in case of national mourning or other calamity, the proper way is to raise it to the top then lower it a little. Before it is lowered, it is proper to raise the flag first to the top.

On the death of a president, the flag should be displayed only one day at half-mast, according to regulation.

The flag is at half mast only half a day, on Memorial day. At midday, the flag is raised to the top of the staff where it remains until sunset.

June 14, the anniversary of the adoption of the flag, is Flag day.

The flag should be displayed on the following days: Lincoln's birthday, February 12; Washington's birthday, February 22; Inauguration day, Mar. 4; Battle of Lexington, April 19; battle of Manila bay, May 1; Mother's day, 2nd Sunday in May; Memorial day, (half staff until noon) May 30; Flag day, June 14; Battle of Bunker Hill, June 17; Independence day, July 4; Labor day, 1st Monday in September; Lake Erie day, September 10; Lake Champlain day, September 11; John Paul Jones day, September 23; battle of Saratoga, October 17; surrender at Yorktown, October 19.

Settlers in Maple Forest township are warned from letting their cattle trespass on my farm meadows. The fences will be made safe as soon as the weather will permit, but I shall protect my property. E. O. Scriver.

## Correspondence.

### Coy News.

A large crowd attended a farewell party at Elmer Head's Friday evening, and a good time was enjoyed by all.

O. B. Scott returned from Grayling Saturday, where he was attending the meeting of the board of Supervisors.

You had better have the lights blown out G. or people may think there is sickness and happen in.

Miss Helen Richardson, who has been teaching school in Nester township, has finished her term and is now at home.

The dance given at the Maple Grove school house last Friday night was well attended.

C. E. Overmyer and wife spent Sunday at O. B. Scott's.

Miss Mary Olson of Deward attended the party Friday night.

Howard Nolan, who is working on the road in Markey township was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Sniely and Mrs. Collins, two old pioneer residents of Roscommon, were brot home Monday to be buried. Funeral services held at Roscommon Tuesday.

Mrs. Jos. Scott visited at Mrs. Elmer Head's last Friday.

There has been about one hundred thousand feet of logs and several cars of pulp wood loaded at the gravel branch.

John Floeter has finished building wood at Jos. Scott's.

Several people of Coy attended the sale at the Karg farm at Hard Scrabble.

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### Eldorado Nuggets.

Geo. Russell, Harry Williams, Jas. F. Crane and Boyd J. Funch attended the tax sale at Grayling Tuesday.

Mrs. Mattie Funch returned Tuesday, after spending several days with friends in Roscommon and Grayling.

The Eldorado Literary club will meet Saturday evening, May 5th. Subject: "American Indian," continued.

Miss Lucile Knight is now at home, having finished her school at Butman last Friday.

A large number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Head gathered at their home Friday evening for a surprise and farewell party. The surprise was complete, and the evening was pleasantly spent in cards and dancing. A bounteous pot luck lunch was served at midnight. Mr. and Mrs. Head left Sunday for their new home at Johannesburg.

### RESULTS TELL.

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### Tire Saving Device.

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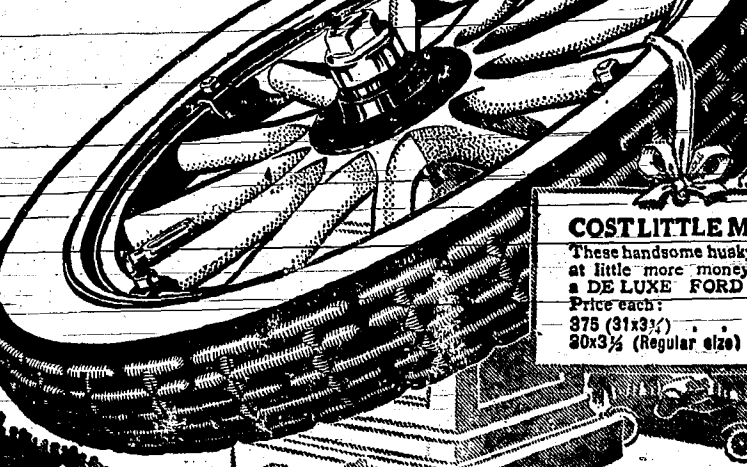
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